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- --17. (Amended) A capsule containing an inhalable powder pharmaceutical composition according to claim 1.--
- --18. (Amended) A capsule containing an inhalable powder pharmaceutical composition according to claim 2.--
- --19. (Amended) A capsule containing an inhale powder pharmaceutical composition according to claim 3.--
- --20. (Amended) A capsule containing an inhalable powder pharmaceutical composition according to claim 4.--
- --21. (Amended) A capsule containing an inhalable powder pharmaceutical composition according to claim 5.--
- --22. (Amended) A capsule containing an inhalable powder pharmaceutical composition according to claim 6.--
- --23. (Amended) A capsule containing an inhalable powder pharmaceutical composition according to claim 7.--
- --24. (Amended) A capsule containing an inhalable powder pharmaceutical composition according to claim 8.--
- --25. (Amended) A capsule containing an inhalable powder pharmaceutical composition according to claim 9 in the form of an inhalable powder.--

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--54. (Amended) A method of treating allergic or non-allergic rhinitis in a patient in need of such treatment, the method comprising administering to the patient a therapeutically effective amount of the inhalable powder pharmaceutical composition according to one of claims 1 to 9.-

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- --55. (Amended) A kit comprising one or more unit dosage containers containing a pharmaceutical composition, each unit dosage container containing a pharmaceutical composition comprising:
  - (a) a tiotropium salt;
  - (b) an antihistamine; and
  - (c) a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient selected from glucose, arabinose, lactose, saccharose, or maltose,

the tiotropium salt and the antihistamine optionally in the form of their enantiomers, mixtures of their enantiomers, their racemates, their solvates, or their hydrates.--